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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: KORTSCHACK Fritz et al.

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FOR: METHOD FOR HARDENING THE SURFACE OF SAUSAGE MEAT USING
ULTRASONIC TREATMENT

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

It is hereby requested that a ONE month extension of time for responding to the
Notification of Missing Requirements of Application dated 31 May 2001, be granted to
31 August 2001.

The required fee of \$ 110.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may
be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of
this sheet is enclosed.

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached hereto. If any variance exists between the amount
enclosed, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet
is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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